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First Applicant	: Guy P. Vanney et al.	Art Unit	: 3739
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Title	: Ablation catheter having a virtual electrode comprising portholes and a porous conductor		
Docket No.	: 001-041401US		
Customer No.	: 33486		

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

The Applicants have received and considered the final Office action mailed 03 December 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.